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Application No. 10/625,698-Conf. #9943	Filing Date July 24, 2003	Examiner J. L. Sterrett	Art Unit 2838

Applicant(s): Hideki Agari et al.

Invention: POWER SUPPLYING METHODS AND APPARATUS THAT PROVIDE STABLE OUTPUT VOLTAGE

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated April 11, 2006, finally rejecting claims 1-17, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.